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Dr. Dan Ellsberg  
The Rand Corporation  
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Dear Dan:

Leaving on a trip which will have me arriving in New York midnight on the 15th of December, making an address before the Council on Foreign Relations on the 16th, at West Point on the night of the 16th, in Washington on the 17th, a speech at Carlisle Barracks at the Army War College on the 18th, in Washington again on the 19th and 20th, in Denver from the 21st through the 1st, and will arrive Los Angeles at 0200, 2 January. Will visit with you until departure at 2030, 2 January. Since I will be departing here on the morning of 8 December, you had better write me quickly if your schedule conflicts with this or if you would rather get together in Denver or Washington.

Boy! Did you cut your bridges to Vietnam with the infamous "letter from six!" My question is: how do you expect to earn your living in the future after you leave Rand?

Best regards,

John P. Vann  
Deputy for CORDS